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FEDERAL CURB OF STRIKES IS THREAT

Rail Strike Spreads to New Territory — Mexican State Declares Act of Secession — Lloyd George Leaves U. S. Out of Parley — Irish Pickets Caught — Will Reorganize Navy.

CHICAGO, April 10.—Federal intervention unless the railroad strike is ended within forty-eight hours was indicated as probable at the Federal building today.

District Attorney Clyne, following a conference, which had lasted since early last night, said the government had the power to cope with the situation brought about by the interruption of food shipments.

Clyne has received instructions from Attorney General Palmer regarding the course to be pursued, it was learned.

The district attorney yesterday conferred with officials of the Brotherhood of Railway Engineers and immediately called a conference of department of justice officials and heads of the bureau of investigation, which lasted throughout the night.

ORE RAIL CENTERS HIT BY STRIKE MOVE

CHICAGO, April 10.—Several more railroad centers today were affected by the insurgent strike of switchmen and passenger service was affected notably in New York city, while strikers returned in small groups at several places.

Large areas of the country had not yet been invaded by the strike, which, union officers declared, was an effort to overthrow the unions and make way for a new organization.

The switchmen in New England, in all the Southeastern states and in the upper Mississippi and Missouri valleys remained at work.

STATE OF SONORA DECLARES SECESSION

AGUA PRIETA, Sonora, Mex., April 10.—The first break toward open revolt in Sonora came this morning when the Sonora state congress convened in secret session at Hermosillo and repudiated the Mexican central government and passed resolutions declaring the state would take steps to resist any invasion of troops or of state rights attempted by the Carranza government.

ALLIES IGNORE U. S. ON ADRIATIC STAND

LONDON, April 10.—Reports

(Continued on Page Four.)

CHOP SUEY THINKS

A dollar looks like thirty cents now.

Prevailing styles make a fine rear view.

The soldiers are still having a lot of "engagements."

Why do the police judges all ask, "Wher'd you get it?"

Auto dealers and undertakers talk about bodies.

Judging from the jewels, this must be the stone age.

All of the Huns are against the League of Nations.

Nearly show time and no G. O. P. or Dem. leading lady yet.

And now one has to mortgage the auto to buy gas.

We suffer a good deal from things which never happen.

Why don't the investigating committee find the pork in the beans?

Washington did not go on strike over conditions at Valley Forge.

A LOT OF CROOKS ASK PROBATION

Robert McCarthy, who pleaded guilty two weeks ago to forging a check on a Byron merchant, was sentenced to San Quentin prison yesterday by Superior Judge A. B. McKenzie. McCarthy had applied for probation. Thomas Toomey was allowed by the court, on consent of the district attorney's office, to withdraw his plea of guilty to grand larceny for the theft of clothing from automobiles at Brentwood, entered a plea of guilty to petty larceny and was sentenced to two months in the county jail.

On motion of Probation Officer A. J. McMahon, Judge McKenzie continued time of hearing the application for probation made by Felix Max Klinger and Olivero Pagni for one week. Klinger has pleaded guilty to holding up J. W. Ingersoll at Pinole and Pagni has pleaded guilty to shooting G. M. Urbano at Antioch.

RECALL OF OAKLAND OFFICIALS BEGUN

OAKLAND, April 10.—Recall proceedings against Frederick Soderberg, commissioner of public works; W. H. Edwards, commissioner of streets, and F. F. Morse, commissioner of public health and safety, members of the city council majority, were filed in the office of the city clerk this morning by members of the Oakland Citizens' Committee, which yesterday opened its recall campaign with headquarters in the Albany block.

The affidavits of intention to circulate the recall petitions, in which the general charge is made against the three city officials that they have been equally responsible for petty political bickering that has greatly injured the city, were filed under the signature of L. C. Fraser, chairman of the committee.

FOUL MURDER IN THIS COUNTY

Usual Wait of Three Months by Railroad Commission Is Now Up and It Is Expected That a Decision of the Richmon-S. F. Ferry Case Will Be Handed Down Within a Week or Ten Days.

MARTINEZ, April 10.—One of the foulest murders ever committed in Contra Costa county was discovered yesterday afternoon with the finding of the body of Osumi Kinsake, Japanese laborer of Manderville island, in a dredger cut a half mile from Orwood. His feet were bound with his belt, a vest was tied over his head and he was gagged with his necktie. Deputy Coroner H. G. Preston of Antioch, who has taken the body in charge, asserts the Jap's skull was fractured from a blow on the head with a heavy instrument. Robbery is believed to have been the motive of the murder. Kinsake had been missing since March 28.

As near as can be learned Kinsake left Manderville island on March 27 to go to San Francisco to meet his wife on her arrival from Japan. He is said to have taken $2800 with him. His wife did not come and the following day Kinsake left Oakland on a Santa Fe train, leaving $450 with a niece who resides at 470 Rose street, Oakland. The remainder of the money he is said to have taken with him.

The last seen of Kinsake was at Orwood, where he is said by a Japanese friend to have left the train, intending to walk to Manderville island. His body was found yesterday afternoon by Konk Sing, a Chinese farmer, who was working near the dredger cut. The body was in about eight feet of water.

Sheriff's officers are of the belief that several men are implicated in the crime. There is nothing to indicate whether Kinsake was still alive when thrown into the dredger cut or not. Belief is expressed that the crime was committed near there and the murderers carried the body to the cut and threw it into the water to cover up their crime.

The scene is but a short distance from the place where Anita Hall is alleged to have murdered a Chinaman last year.

He was 50 years of age and had been employed by T. Shima, Japanese potato king, for the past 14 years.

According to Deputy Coroner Preston the left pocket of Kinsake's trousers was turned inside out, indicating that he had been robbed. But 48 cents was found on his person. The Chinese notified Coroner Preston this morning and he in turn communicated with Sheriff R. R. Veale. The sheriff has gone to Orwood to investigate the case.

S. E. Turner, 452 Twenty-second avenue, will be operated upon Monday for the removal of his tonsils. Mr. Turner is an employee of the Standard Oil Company and is one of the members of the local board of the Y. M. C. A.

TAFT BOOSTS FOR CANDIDACY OF HOOVER

Hoover will be a formidable factor in the Republican convention if his candidacy is placed before it by a delegation of twenty-six from California, sent to Chicago over the corpse of the Johnson political machine, according to a statement from former President William Howard Taft, published in the Los Angeles Times.

With reference to party regularity Taft remarks:

"Upon the issue of party allegiance in California Johnson has no advantage over Hoover. Indeed, a review of Johnson's political course would seem to require that as between them the palm of regularity would be awarded Hoover."

Another extract from Taft's statement follows:

"Assurances are given that Johnson has seriously weakened the number of his personal adherents by his fight upon the treaty. In no part of the United States is the League of Nations so popular as in Oregon and in California, and there is no doubt that many friends of Johnson were seriously disappointed at his bitter opposition.

STRIKE SITUATION AT COUNTY POINTS

PORT COSTA, April 10.—Twenty-five yardmen here have joined the strike of yardmen and switchmen throughout the United States which has tied up freight service and interfered with passenger schedules. Several went on strike yesterday morning, but returned to work a short time later. Yesterday afternoon a dozen or so of the men struck and this morning that number was augmented by as many more. According to George Ward, agent here, passenger or ferry service has not been interfered with as a sufficient numbe of men are still at work to get passenger trains out on time. Freight trains, however, are tied up.

MARTINEZ, April 10.—Because of congestion at the Third and Townsend streets depot of the Southern Pacific in San Francisco, due to the strike of yardmen and switchmen, many trains from the southern part of the state are being routed through Martinez into Oakland. Practically all passenger trains coming into Martinez since yesterday afternoon have been delayed thirty minutes to two hours. No freight trains arrived here either yesterday or up until noon today. Word here is to the effect that in the Oakland yards but few men are at work and routing of passenger trains is being done under the direction of officials of the company.

Mrs. J. Jordan was given a surprise stork shower at her home in Stege by a host of friends Friday afternoon. A very pleasant time was had by all with games and refreshments. Those present were: Mrs. F. S. Du Chaine, Mrs. Frank Avery, Mrs. Joseph Munday, Mrs. J. Creeley, Mrs. N. Nelson, Mrs. H. B. Huellett, Mrs. C. Smith, Mrs. N. F. Hunt, Mrs. Julius Geritz, Mrs. N. Sailles, Mrs. Gladys Pearson, Mrs. D. McGrew.

RAIL STRIKES INCREASING IN SCOPE

Local Yardmen Refuse to Take Up Old Jobs at Demand of Railway Officials — Attempts Made to Spread Strike to Passenger Engineers and Firemen — Freight Traffic Badly Crippled.

Action on the walkout of yardmen which took place at the Santa Fe yards Friday night was taken by the former employees of the yard at their meeting last night. The men maintain that they are not striking as an organization but as individuals; that they are going out because they are unable to live on the wages at present received. They state that the movement is not affiliated with any organization except the new associations formed by the railroad men all over the country who have participated in the movement. The local men last night formed an organization, to be known as the Richmond Yardmen's Association, affiliated with similar organizations formed in San Francisco, Oakland and Chicago.

The demand of the men is that raises be granted to all men employed in railroad yards. They ask that switch foremen be paid $5.15 for eight hours, instead of $5.14 as they are receiving at present. Switch engineers would receive $8.40 instead of $5.60. Switch engine firemen under the proposed plan would be given $6.40 in place of the present $4.16. All other yard employees would be given corresponding increases. The men also demand time and a half for overtime, Sundays and legal holidays, and double time for all in excess of eight hours which they may work on Sundays and legal holidays.

The ultimatum of the railroad heads demanding that the insurgents return to their posts by 4 o'clock yesterday was unheeded by the men, not a single man reporting for duty at the hour appointed.

Freight traffic on the Santa Fe is badly tied up as a result of the action of the men. No perishable freight is being accepted by the company because it is impossible to handle it quickly enough. Some other freight is being taken, but no guarantee is given as to the time of delivery. Passenger trains are little behind the schedule so far, as the company has been making up trains with the assistance of train crews procured from Oakland.

All freight traffic on the Southern Pacific lines here is at a complete standstill—has been ever since Thursday night when the Southern Pacific yardmen in Oakland and San Francisco first went on strike. Before that time switching of cars was done by yard crews from Oakland, but all freight handling has now ceased.

In Oakland the situation remains the same and bids fair to be even worse if the strikers are able to carry out their work of spreading the strike to the engineers and firemen of passenger trains. If this proves successful, it will mean that passenger, as well as freight traffic, will be paralyzed. Oakland passenger trains are now being made up with the aid of the yard officials of the railroad in that city.

Santa Fe railroad officials yesterday afternoon reported that practically all their employes in Los Angeles and Southern California had returned to work.

Opposed to agitation started by the strikers International Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen executives in San Francisco yesterday strove to force the strikers to return to their jobs and conferred with J. H. Dyer, general manager of the Southern Pacific, to whom they promised co-operation to end the walkout.

IT IS TO LAUGH

A traveler visiting a large factory made a bet with the manager that he would pick out all the married men among the employees. Accordingly, he stationed himself at the door as they came back from dinner, and mentioned all those whom he believed to be married, and in almost every case he was right. "How do you do it?" asked the manager in amazement. "Oh, it's quite simple," said the traveler, "quite simple. The married men all wipe their feet on the mat; the single men don't."

Hadn't Noticed

First Gurgle: Did you notice that good looking fellow who sat right back of us at the Orpheum?

Second Gurgle: Oh, that handsome chap with the red necktie and tan suit, who wore his hair pompadour? No. Why?

SUPERVISORS TO ACT ON BONDS TOMORROW

MARTINEZ, April 10.—Just what procdure will be taken in an effort to sell the $1,250,000 county highway bonds, on which the supervisors rejected the one bid received Monday, will be decided at a special meeting of the board Monday morning. District Attorney A. B. Tinning is in San Francisco today to learn if banking institutions there will not purchase the issue. The board on Monday will also decide on the letting of the contract for paving the highway from Giant to Richmond, action on which was deferred Monday because of the non-sale of the highway bonds. S. C. Rodgers, with a bid of $69,296.25, was the lowest of eight bidders on the job.

CHIMNEY BURNS OUT

Two of the local fire companies were given a hurry-up call yesterday afternoon to put out a fire at 1416 Nevin avenue. The fire proved to be only a burned-1out chimney at the home of F. A. Crowley and was soon extinguished by Fire Companies 1 and 2, which were sent out on the call. No damage was done.

DECISION ON FERRY LINE SOON

Japanese Farmer of Northern Part of County Bound, Gagged and Beaten to Death, and Robbed of $2350 by Unknown Parties — Sheriff Veale on Trail of Crime.

One who knows considerable about such matters, having kept in touch with them, informed The News last evening that the State Railroad Commission usually takes three months for consideration and private investigation before handing down a decision in a matter as important as was the hearing on the Richmond-San Francisco ferry project, and that as the three months are now up a decision may be looked for within the next week or ten days.

The State Railroad Commission has in the neighborhood of a thousand employees, and has many ways of finding out what it wants to know unknown to the general public. It ever moves in a hurry, but endeavors to gather all possible data and to gain all possible information before making a decision on any important matter.

The proposed ferry line between Richmond and San Francisco took up weeks in the hearing, the project being bitterly fought by Attorney Pillsbury, representing himself and certain corporate interests, and because of its being a proposed public utility, and the extreme fight made against it, the Commission went very deeply into all the ins and outs of the matter.

At the close of the hearing the Commission gave Pillsbury thirty days in which to file anything further he desired in the way of objections, but he did not take advantage of this, as his long suit is of a verbal nature, and not given to putting things down in writing so they can be picked to pieces and used as evidence against him. He is an attorney of ability, and also unscrupulous as to methods.

It is the general opinion that the hearing will result in a decision favorable to the ferry project, with possibly some requirements insisted upon.

There was no good reason shown at the hearing for not granting the permission asked for by the ferry company, and the demand for such a service is unquestioned. Everybody is heartily in favor of it—except those who sought to thwart it.

Mrs. Ralph J. Smith, formerly Miss Mignon Crane, left for her home at Auberry, Cal., after a pleasant visit with her mother, Mrs. Russell Morrison and friends in this city.

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THE CENSUS FIGURES

Census figures for Vallejo and Richmond, while not at all satisfactory to the officials of each city, are nevertheless indicative of a growth that is little less than startling. In ten years Richmond has jumped from a place of less than 7000 to one of nearly 17,000, and the percentage of growth is recorded at 147.6. Vallejo's increase, while not so large, is still among the most healthful of the country, 46.6 per cent.

In the light of the few returns received from the Middle West and East these two California cities reflect in gratifying totals the expansion of the smaller urban communities of the Pacific Coast. Mayor James Romey of Vallejo says that instead of 16,843 his city would show 20,000 had the count been correctly made, and a similar claim for 24,000 is made by Mayor Long of Richmond. It is probable that both of these statements are nearer correct than are the figures given in the official count. School and registration statistics, together with testimony of some of those connected with the task of enumeration, would support the claims for the higher totals.

The time for effective criticism of the census returns and the manner of their achievement, however, is past. It was during the taking of the count that civic pride should have been aroused to see that no man or woman was overlooked. Then it was that any laxity of method should have been reported and that an adequate canvass should have been assured.

It is upon these official returns that the size of the two cities, for the next few years, will be judged. If the mayors are correct, and a fair count is obtained next time an even more startling increase will result. In the meantime, however, gains of 46 and 147 per cent are nothing for which any city need apologize.—Oakland Tribune.

THINKOGRAPHS

Senator Jim Reed is on a speaking tour of the South. It may be safe enough if the old stock of eggs has been marketed. They won't throw fresh ones at present quotations.

Of all the pitiful figures in the country, none cuts such a sorry figure as Truman H. Newberry. It is time that the Michigan Republicans cease to pull the legs of the men they support for office.

The irate citizen who blamed Representative Volstead because a bootlegger had sold him a bottle of colored water for $22 was wrong. The man didn't pay the $22 because of the law, but because he was a fool.

Another proof that this is a government of checks and balances is, when we sent the check for our income tax our banker said it consumed our balance at the bank.

Some of our politicians talk of government as the chief end of man, instead of as a means to secure his freedom, happiness and welfare.

LABOR IS NOT OPPOSED TO PROHIBITION

Speaking before a labor convention in New Jersey the other day, the state which Governor Edwards is under pledge to make as wet as the Atlantic ocean, in spite of the national prohibition law, Samuel Gompers declared it was monstrous that 100,000,000 people should be forced to submit to a denial of their rights to drink, by action of a "few fanatics."

Maybe Mr. Gompers spoke in this vein because he was in New Jersey and wanted to say something pleasing to his audience. It is scarcely possible that Mr. Gompers does not know that prohibition was not the result of action by "a few fanatics," but the result of seventy-five years growth of anti-liquor sentiment, and that national prohibition came only after three-fourths of the country was already dry.

Being the president of the American Federation of Labor, he ought also to be fairly familiar with the views of the members of that organization, but he certainly was not speaking for the organization as a whole when he condemned national prohibition in such scathing terms. If he intended so to speak, he grossly misrepresented his constituency.

For, the Literary Digest in a recent issue published the replies of labor leaders in all parts of the country, to questions sent out by that publication as to whether prohibition were a benefit to the workingmen, and an overwhelming majority replied in the affirmative.

To be exact, out of 526 replies received from labor leaders in every state in the Union, 345 were unreservedly certain that prohibition has benefited the workingman and his family, while 143 did not think so, 31 were doubtful and 7 considered prohibition had not been given a fair trial.

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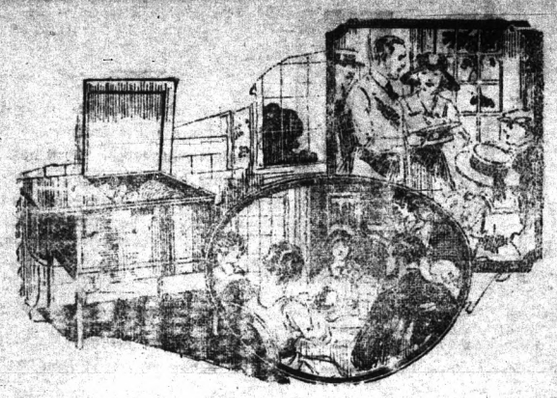

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Among the Churches

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Twelfth and Bissell. Henry Kendall Sanborne, minister. A. H. Poage, superintendent of Sunday school. Mrs. C. S. Gibson, choir director. Mrs. William Banton, organist.

9:45 a. m. Sunday school. 11 a. m., morning worship; theme of sermon, "Christ's Refusals." Anthem, "Sing Alleluia Forth," by Dudley Buck. v:30 p. m., Junior Endeavor. 6:30 p. m., Senior and Intermediate Endeavor. Topic, "What to Do With Our Sundays." 7:30 p. m., song service led by William Banton. Evening worship. Subject of sermon, "The Unsearchable Riches." Anthem, "Break Forth Into Joy," duet by Mr. Banton and Wilford Cook. Solo by Mr. Cook. 7:30 p. m., Wednesday, mid-week service. A cordial invitation is given to all these services.

WESLEY METHODIST CHURCH

(The church of the cordial welcome.) Paul Little, minister. W. C. Roberts, Sunday school superintendent. Prof. J. P. Dillon, musical director. Miss Irma St. John, pianist.

9:45 a. m., church school. 11 a. m., morning worship. Subject, "Adventures in Christian Stewardship." 6:30 p. m., Epworth League. Miss Ruth Dunlap will be the leader of the meeting.

7:30, evening worship. Lieutenant Gordon, a recent arrival from Belfast, Ireland, will give an address on the Irish question, with which he is thoroughly familiar. When the war broke out he was a divinity student and immediately enlisted and was in the British army until recently. He has been speaking before civic and commercial bodies as well as religious organizations, and Richmond is fortunate in getting him.

As a prelude to Lieutenant Gordon's address, the pastor will give a brief address on "The School Bond Election." Public is cordially invited to attend these services.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Sixth street and Bissell avenue. Rev. Thomas A. Boyer, minister. Mrs. Taylor Johnston, choir leader. Miss Vera Wyatt, organist.

9:45 a. m., Sunday school. S. E. Turner, superintendent.

"Twentieth Century" class of adult young men and women taught by the pastor. The latchstring is out to all young people not identified with other such classes.

11 a. m., "Things That Perish and Things That Remain." All members are urged to be present at the morning service.

6:15 p. m., Y. P. S. C. E. meeting. 7:30 p. m., "Singing Thorugh Life With God." Special baptismal services at close of evening service. The usual organ selections and special solos and anthems at evening service. A cordial invitation at all times to all.

ST. PAUL'S EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

Moose hall. Sunday school at 10 o'clock. Lesson, "The Law." Classes for everyone. Church services at 11 o'clock. Topic, James 1:27. Everyone welcome. A. Bahnsen, pastor.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Corner of Richmond avenue and Martina. S. J. Hocking, pastor.

Sunday school at 10 a. m.

Public workship at 11 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m. Subjects, "Christ's Precious," and "A Day of Good Things."

At 6:30 the Alameda Epworth League team will have charge of the Epworth League service. They are reported to be a team that will render good service. At all services special music will be rendered, therefore you are invited, for there will be something in the service that will appeal to you as well as a help.

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Church school will be held in Bank hall at 9:30 a. m. and evening service at 7:45, with church school in Trinity church at 10 a. m. with morning prayer at 11 and evening service in Bank hall at 7:45.

Tuesday, Trinity Senior Guild will meet. Confirmation class in church at 7:30.

Wednesday, the Junior Guild will meet with Mrs. Fenix at 3:30.

Thursday, the Senior Guild will meet at the home of Mrs. Tarr, 1217 Barrett avenue, at 2 p. m. Trinity Juniors will meet in the church parlor at 3:30. Choir practice at 7:30. Boys' club at 7:30.

The flowers for the altar will be cared for by Mrs. C. Young.

Rev. H. Blake Hadlow, rector.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

San Pablo, Cal. Ford Kitchel, minister. "The Progressive Church." Sunday school, 10 a. m. Services, 11 a. m. Rev. J. R. Douglas, pastor Elmhurst Baptist church, Oakland, will preach. Special music by choir. Evening services 7:15 p. m. Sermon by Rev. Ford Kitchel. Subject, "Magnetism." Everybody is welcome, no matter what your creed. You are a stranger but once.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, RICHMOND

C. H. Berry, pastor. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., C. E. Parker, superintendent. Do not let that car pass you. The pastor will preach both morning and evening. Theme for the morning service will be "The ypical Scheme of Redemption." At the evening hour, subject, "Labor and Christianity." Every laboring man should hear the evening theme discussed. B. Y. P. U. will meet at 6::30 p. m. and preaching at 7:30 p. m. Good music at both services. Mrs. W. H. Kleinkauf will be at the piano. The morning sermon will be preached from "chart." Everybody invited to attend both services.

EAST RICHMOND CHURCH

Advent Christian. Corner Roosevelt avenue and Twentieth street. J. J. Schaumburg, editor Messiah's Advocate, officiating pastor. Sunday school, 10 a. m.; preaching, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.; Y. P. S. L. W., 7 p. m. You are invited to all services.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST

Richmond Club, Nevin avenue at Twelfth street. Services Sunday at 11 and 8. Meeting Wednesday at 8 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend. Christian Science reading room, Pillow building, Macdonald avenue at Seventh street. Open afternoons from 1:30 to 4:30 and Saturday evenings from 7 to 9. The public is cordially invited to attend our services and visit our reading room.

EL CERRITO METHODIST

Richmond street. Wilmer E. Coffman, minister. Sunday school, 10:15 a. m.; preaching and worship, 11:15 a. m. No service after Sunday school on March 28. Easter service April 4.

OUR LADY OF MERCY CHURCH

Rev. Father Peter Doyle, pastor, Richmond avenue. Services tomorrow morning at 7 and 9 a. m. Sunday school under direction of Sisters.

ST. MARK'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Rev. P. M. Griffin, pastor; Rev. O'Hea, assistant. Bissell avenue and Tenth street. Services this morning at 7, 8:30 and 10:30 o'clock. Sunday school under direction of Presentation Sisters immediately after the 8:30 o'clock mass. Evening services at 7:30 o'clock.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, SAN PABLO

Rev. Joseph Porta, pastor. 7:30 a. m., confessions; 8:30 a. m., mass with sermon in English. Sunday school after mass. 10:30 o'clock a. m., mass with sermon in English. Benedict at 7:30 p. m. Sunday school every Wednesday afternoon from 2 until 4:30 o'clock.

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Phillipson and May are two silly kids who will entertain the audience with their chatter.

Brooks and Post, the chink and the darkie, with a special setting of scenery, will offer a unique comedy act which promises something new in the line of fun.

Miss Washburn is a popular singer just off Loewe's circuit, with a specially selected repertoire of songs, who will add music to the bill.

Lula Carter is a singing comedienne of big time vaudeville caliber who has delighted audiences all over the country.

All of these acts are furnished by Ackerman and Harris of Loewe's circuit, and are of exceptional quality.

In addition to the vaudeville bill, Taylor Holmes wil be presented in "Upside Down," and there wil be a Pathe News reel.

Attorney T. M. Carlson was a San Francisco visitor yesterday evening.

Edward W. Sommers, employed here by the Foundation Company, and Miss Jeannette Lawrence of Chicago were married in San Francisco Friday afternoon.

STATEMENT OF THE OWNERSHIP, MANAGEMENT, CIRCULATION, ETC., REQUIRED BY THE ACT OF CONGRESS OF AUGUST 24, 1912

Of Richmond News, published daily at Richmond, California, for April 1, 1920.

State of California, County of Contra Costa—ss.

Before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared F. J. Hulaniski, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the editor and manager of the Richmond News, and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management (and if a daily paper, the circulation), etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in Section 443, Postal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse of this form, to wit:

1. That the names and addresses of the publisher, editor, managing editor and business managers are:
Publisher, Richmond Printing & Publishing Co., Richmond, Calif.
Editor, F. J. Hulaniski, Richmond, Calif.
Managing editor, F. J. Hulaniski, Richmond, Calif.
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2. That the owners are: (Give names and addresses of individual owners, or, if a corporation, give its name and the names and addresses of stockholders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of the total amount of stock.)
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3. That the known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are:
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5. That the average number of copies of each issue of this publication sold or distributed, through the mails or otherwise, to paid subscribers during the six months preceding the date shown above is 1870.

F. J. HULANISKI,
Editor.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 10th day of April, 1920.
(Seal) WILLIAM H. CONN.
(My commission expires Nov. 9, 1922.)

Southern Pacific Company

San Francisco, April 9, 1920.

TO RAILROAD EMPLOYEES,
RAILROAD OFFICERS,
AND CITIZENS:

The switchmen in a number of terminal yards of the Southern Pacific are on strike. They took this action without presenting or making known any grievance. The strike is in violation and repudiation of their working agreement and violates the Transportation Act of 1920, which provides means for considering and adjusting complaints in an orderly way and without stopping work.

Section 301 of that Act provides:

"It shall be the duty of all carriers and their officers, employes and agents to exert every reasonable effort and adopt every available means to avoid any interruption to the operation of any carrier growing out of any dispute between the carrier and the employees or subordinate officials thereof. All such disputes shall be considered, and, if possible, decided in conference between representatives designated and authorized so to confer by the carriers, or the employees or subordinate officials thereof, directly interested in the dispute. If any dispute is not decided by such conference, it shall be referred by the parties thereto to the Board which under the provisions of this title is authorized to hear and decide such dispute."

The strike is also illegal under the laws of the organizations to which the strikers belong. It has been so denounced by chief executives of those organizations who, together with railroad officials, have been making every effort to induce the men to return to work. But the strikers have not returned to work, and the service which the railroads must render is interrupted, hence it becomes necessary for this Company to take action to fulfill its obligations to the public.

Therefore, notice is hereby given that all striking employees who do not report for duty on their assignment commencing on and after 4 P. M. Saturday, April 10, 1920, will be regarded as having terminated their employment with the Company and their places will be filled.

J. H. DYER,
General Manager.

SWITCHMEN WANTED

Men experienced in railroad yard work desiring employment should call at once or send names and home addresses to Superintendent, Southern Pacific Company, at addresses shown below. Strike conditions prevail, but the strike is unauthorized and denounced by the officers of the Railroad Brotherhoods.

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Oakland Pier — Bakersfield
Stockton — Los Angeles
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Portland

Local Laconics Ot Richmondites

Fred La Moine's 1-cent sale only lasted one day, because he sold out all the goods in that time.

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The kiddies and many older folks sure did enjoy the circus and the animals. The News gave a ticket to each of its small army of little carrier boys, and it was a picnic to see them grin.

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The merchants are all up in the air and don't know what to do. People are screaming about the high price of everything to wear, and yet when the merchants go to ordering their fall stocks they are confronted by still higher prices in every instance. It is a hard problem to solve. In the meantime the people are playing a waiting game and are not buying.

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A few more strikes and the high wage balloon will collapse of its own inflation. And then h—— will be popping, with a corresponding tumble in everything and probably a touch of hard times and lack of employment. The general public is no longer in sympathy with strikes of any kind, from any source, for any reason.

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Richmond is now threatened with about one election a month on an average for the next six months. That ought to be enough to make things lively.

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An evening contemporary carried a half page ad. last evening from interests who seem to have it in for the school bonds.

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The railroad men are making a very grievous mistake. When they fight their own brotherhoods they are disrupting their organization, and without organization they have nothing.

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Arragements are nearing completion for the big Leap Year ball to be given by the Gustav Vasa lodge at East Shore park Saturday evening, April 17. Jack Crow's famous jazz orchestra will furnish the music.

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A farewell party was given at the Marathon Kandy Kitchen yesterday noon by the office force of the Southern Pacific in honor of J. H. Perry, who is leaving the employ of the railroad company to take a position with the Standard Oil Company. The guests at the party were: Mrs. Mattie House, Mrs. Ida Duncan, Mrs. Lila Catobus, Miss Sidonia Schiltz, Miss Frances Miller, Miss Margaret Jenkins, M. J. Furlong, L. C. Moulthrop, S. McMann.

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Mrs. Clara Wilson is recovering from a very severe cold.

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Mrs. Sam Korb of Bay View was operated on for the removal of her appendix at the Fabriola hospital in Oakland Friday.

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Judge Clarence Odell and family left yesterday for Healdsburg, where they will make a brief visit to the Gerlack home.

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Mrs. W. Strickland and baby daughter of San Francisco are visiting at the home of Mrs. Strickland's mother, Mrs. W. C. Audrey, 131 Thirteenth street.

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Lodges To Work On Relief Drive

Attorney Hiram E. Jacobs has been appointed chairman of the lodge committee which is to work among the members of the different fraternal organizations of the city to secure donations to the Near East Relief Fund. Jacobs will appoint a member from each lodge in the city to serve on the committee, said member to have charge of the soliciting of donations in his lodge.

F. M. Sanderson, county chairman of the Near East Relief, will speak before the employees of the Santa Fe and Standard Oil companies on Tuesday and Wednesday, on which days the drive for funds for the Near East Relief will be conducted in the aforementioned plants.

BOUND VOLUMES OF THE THINKOGRAPH MAGAZINE

This office has on hand yet about 150 handsomely bound volumes of the Thinkograph magazine, handsomely printed on fine book paper and profusely illustrated. These sell for 50 cents each and as soon as these remaining few are gone they will be entirely out of circulation. They contain some of the best writings of Editor Hulanisky and in magazine form made quite a hit all over America. There are also about 100 copies of stapled volumes, at 25c each. There will never be any more of either of these books, so if you wish to preserve one or more, now is the time. The prices quoted are less than actual cost. —tf

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ODD FELLOWS—Eclipse Lodge No. 403, I. O. O. F., meets every Monday night in Bank Hall, Eighth street and Macdonald avenue. C. Belcher, Noble Grand. Phone 753. Harry Summerville, Recording Secretary. Phone 540.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD—Log Cabin Camp No. 637 meets every Monday in W. O. W. Hall, 707 Macdonald Avenue. Consul Commander, H. B. Hollenbaugh, residence, 239 4th street; Clerk, C. L. Theis, 234 Chanslor avenue. There will be no meeting on the night of Monday, March 29, as all members are to go to Oakland. All Neighbors are requested to be at the W. O. W. Hall at 7 p. m.

RETURN OF ROADS PLEASES FARMERS

Urge Policy to Insure Best Service at Lowest Cost Consistent With Fair Returns.

OPPOSE NATIONALIZATION.

Representative Agricultural Organizations and Rural Press State Farmers' Attitude Toward Railroads. Want Private Operation.

Private ownership of the railroads under a policy of government regulation which will insure the best possible service at the lowest cost consistent with fair returns on money invested in them is favored by representative farmer organizations throughout the country. This policy also is supported generally by agricultural newspapers, which state emphatically that the farmers are opposed not only to government ownership of railroads, but also to all nationalization plans.

In a letter to the members of the United States Senate T. C. Atkeson, Washington representative of the National Grange, which is said to be the largest organization of its kind in the world, representing more than 1,000,000 farm owners in the United States, states that the agricultural interests of the country approve of private ownership of the railroads and further declares that persons purporting to speak for the farmers in support of government ownership are neither farmers nor representatives of any considerable number of farmers.

Favor Private Operation.

"The Grange," says Mr. Atkeson, quoting the official action of his organization, "approves of the general principles of railroad legislation now pending in Congress to return the railroads to their owners, to bring about the reorganization of the railroad companies into strong systems with capitalization based on actual value, and to create a control commission which may enforce the superior interest of the public to that of any other interest in the operation of railroads as common carriers and effectively protect the public against exploitation or injustice."

Many state and sectional agricultural organizations take a similar stand. Immediately after the National Grange expressed its attitude toward the railroad question the American Farm Bureau, meeting in Chicago, voted for private operation, and the National Farmers' Congress, in session at Hagerstown, Md., voiced like sentiments. The New York State Federation of County Farm Bureau Organizations and the Indiana Federation of Farmers went beyond that and joined the Grange in repudiating the alleged farmer representatives in Washington, who said they spoke for an "overwhelming majority of the farmers."

Urge Reasonable Returns.

The railroad policy favored by the New York State Federation of County Farm Bureau Organizations was stated in the following resolution:

"Whereas, There have been conflicting statements published regarding the attitude of farmers upon the question of the future ownership of railways; therefore be it

"Resolved, That the New York State Federation of County Farm Bureau Associations, representing 70,000 members, in annual session at Syracuse, N. Y., December 19, 1919, hereby indorses the action of the American Farm Bureau Federation in urging Congress to promptly return the railways to their owners under such conditions as will insure reasonable returns on the value of the property and reasonable rates of transportation throughout the country."

Views of Farmer Papers.

The American Agriculturist states editorially that the farmers are "dead set against" the "scheme to enmesh the farmers in the web of radicalism." The Pennsylvania Farmer, discussing the general demand for private operation of the railroads, says: "It is especially true of farmers, in spite of the declaration of a few would be leaders to the contrary." The Stockman-Farmer adds:

"Farmers almost unanimously approve the return of the railroads and the express companies to their owners. The reason is that farmers, as well as other business men, want service of these institutions, and they cannot get such service under public operation as they can get under the operation of corporations, which have a direct financial interest in performing it."

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

No. 4454

In the Matter of the Estate of Annie Liebhauser, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned Administrator of the estate of Annie Liebhauser, deceased, to the creditors of, and to all persons having claims against said decedent, to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the Superior Court of Contra Costa County, State of California, or to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, to the said administrator at 605 Macdonald Ave., Richmond, Cal., office of Daniel Barton, the same being designated as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate, within four months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated March 12, 1920.

H. LIEBHAUSER,
Administrator of the Estate of Annie Liebhauser, Deceased.

DANIEL BARTON,
607 Macdonald Ave., Richmond, Cal.,
Attorney for Administrator.

Published April 4, 10, 20 and 27, 1920.

State Y.M.C.A. Man Will Speak Here

"Boy Problems" will be the subject of a talk by Ralph G. Cole, state boys' work director for the Y. M. C. A., who will address the members of the local Y. M. C. A. board at a banquet which will be given in the Richmond clubhouse Monday night for the "Y" board and also for all men of the city who are interested in the welfare of the boys of the community.

The address is one which will be of interest to all who have in mind the welfare of the boys of the city, and Walter Mead, secretary of the Y. M. C. A. here, says that he desires a big showing at the meeting. After the banquet the Y. M. C. A. board will hold its regular meeting.

Large Crowd At Firemen's Dance

Mayor and Mrs. James Long led the grand march which began the big ball given at East Shore park last night for the purpose of raising money for the maintenance of the firemen's relief fund.

May novel dances were produced as pleasant surprises to the dancers. The moonlight waltzes were among the most beautiful dances of the sort ever given at any ball. The music, too, was better than usual.

From the first dance the floor was packed with the crowd of dancers. The firemen are confident that the affair will net them a sum even in excess of what they had expected.

Barnes Captivates Large Audience

"Better late than never" was the thought of Richmond folk who waited for the opening of the big main tent of the Barnes circus, which was delayed in its performance here yesterday because of unavoidable loss of time due to the poor train service.

The Barnes shows, always good, were better than ever this year, according to the declaration of everyone who witnessed the performance. The many new animal acts are better by far than anything of the sort that has been previously attempted. The troupe of trained seals brought forth a great deal of favorable comment, as did also the dancing lions and "Yankee Doodle," the waltzing horse. These animals are trained to a degree of perfection never before attained by any circus, and the Barnes management has accomplished a feat worthy of the admiration of everyone. All in all the company gave Richmond people one of the best entertainments of the kind ever shown here.

ROTARIANS TO GET CHARTER

Presentation of the charter for the Richmond Rotary Club will be made at the dinner served by the club at the Richmond clubhouse Friday evening of next week. The club is planning for a gala evening for the event.

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TELEGRAPH

that a new basis of settlement of the Adriatic question has been proposed by Premier Lloyd George, which the advice of the United States was not solicited, were confirmed by an authoritative Serbian quarter this morning.

The proposals are characterized by Serbian partisans as the most acceptable yet advanced, but the announcement that they have been definitely accepted by the Italo-Serbian conferees is said to be premature.

IRISH PICKETS ARE NABBED AT CAPITAL

WASHINGTON, April 10.—Mrs. James Walsh, of New York City, who styles herself as "Captain" of the Irish pickets, and two other women who were bearing banners in front of the British embassy today were arrested on charges of violating federal statutes. The other two women are Mrs. Thomas Currin, of Philadelphia, and Mrs. Katherine Columbine, of New York.

REORGANIZATION OF NAVY IS PLANNED

WASHINGTON, April 10.—Recommendations for complete reorganization of the navy will be made by the Senate sub-committee which has been investigating Rear-Admiral Sims' charges, it was learned today.

STRIKE SPREADING THROUGHOUT NATION

CHICAGO, April 10.—A review of the situation today showed the number of men out in cities throughout the country as follows:

Chicago 8000, St. Louis 5000, Toledo 5000, New York-New Jersey 3500, Youngstown 3000, Buffalo 2000, Kansas City 1500, Los Angeles 1400, Detroit 1500, Pittsburg 1000, Fort Worth 500, Columbus 1000, San Francisco 440, Indianapolis 700, Gary 300, Salt Lake City 300, Syracuse 250, Saginaw 200, Ogden 150, Pueblo 150, Decatur 107, Milwaukee 100, Pocatello 100, Springfield, Ill., 150, Joliet 50, Scranton 50, Bloomington 75, Fort Wayne 35, Portland, Ore., no estimate, Dayton 250, Canton 150, Jackson 150. Men are also on strike at Akron, Alliance and Warren, O., Hornell, N. Y., and Sharron, Farrell and Sharpsville, Pa.

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Regular Meeting Of W.C.T.U. Tuesday

The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held at the First Christian church Tuesday afternoon. A program featuring discussions of the temperance movement has been arranged for the afternoon. Following is a list of the subjects of the day: "To Make Sobriety a National Ideal," "Youth's Holy Privilege" and "The Young Man's Reason for Becoming a P. B. A."

Native Daughters To Play Whist

Tuesday, April 13, is the date set for the big whist party which will be given by the Native Daughtess at the Pythian Castle. Several fine prizes will be presented to the winners and the organization is in hopes that a large crowd will turn out. After the completion of the games refreshments will be served to the guests. Mrs. C. R. Blake heads the committee which is making arrangements for the party. The affair will start at 8 o'clock and all are eligible to attend.

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Pedagogues Attend S. F. Club Meeting

Superintendent of Schools W. T. Helms, Principal Bert Tucker and Roy Hail, physical instructor at the Richmond high school, attended the meeting of the Schoolmasters' Club in San Francisco last night. The organization consists of teachers from all the bay cities. Speeches on different phases of educational work were given by several of the members present at last night's rally.

Hindu Murderer To Appear Tomorrow

MARTINEZ, April 10.—The preliminary examination of Moka Singh, arrested in San Francisco last week as he was about to board a liner for the Orient and charged with the murder of three Hindus on Jersey island last September, will be held before Justice of the Peace F. L. Glass tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. Assistant District Attorney Leo Tormey will appear for the state.

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